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	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	WILSON ET AL.
	<b>COMPLETE IF KNOWN</b>	
	<b>Application Number</b>	10 / 055,427
	<b>Filing Date</b>	01/23/2002
	<b>Group Art Unit</b>	UNKNOWN
	<b>Examiner Name</b>	UNKNOWN

**As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:**

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**TELEPHONIC CERTIFICATION OF ELECTRONIC DEATH REGISTRATION**

the specification of which (Title of the Invention)

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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60/263,958	01/24/2001	<input type="checkbox"/> Additional provisional application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet PTO/SB/02B attached hereto.
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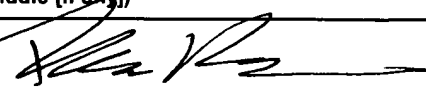
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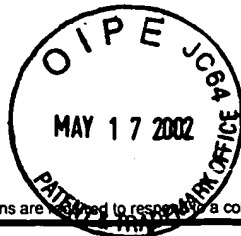
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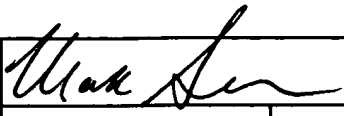
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ADDITIONAL INVENTOR(S)  
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**PLACERVILLE, CA 95667**

Title: **TELEPHONIC CERTIFICATION OF ELECTRONIC DEATH REGISTRATION**

Serial No., if Any: **10/055,427**

Filed: **01/23/2002**

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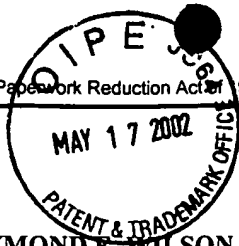
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Application No.: 10/055,427

Filed: 01/23/2002

Entitled: TELEPHONIC CERTIFICATION OF ELECTRONIC DEATH REGISTRATION

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, a MICHIGAN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

(Name of Assignee)

(Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

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(Multiple inventors; single assignee)**

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*Whereas, we, the above-identified Inventors, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the Invention identified above and described in the above-identified patent application(s) and/or patent(s) (hereinafter referred to as "Invention");*

*And, whereas we desire to assign our above-identified rights, title and interest in the Invention to the above-identified Assignee;*

*Now, this indenture witnesseth, that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged;*

*We hereby assign, sell and transfer our above-identified rights, title and interest in said Invention, said application(s) as identified above, including any divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States, and countries foreign thereto, which may be granted or have granted for said Invention, and in and to any and all reissues and reexaminations thereof, and in and to any and all priority rights, Convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to us with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto, unto said Assignee;*

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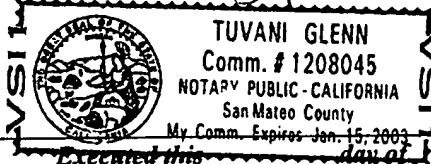
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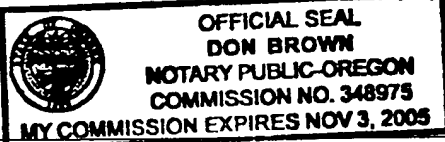
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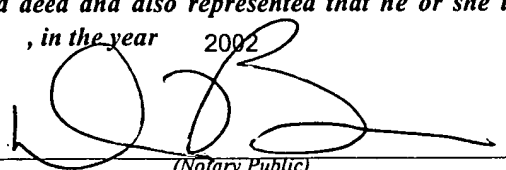
  
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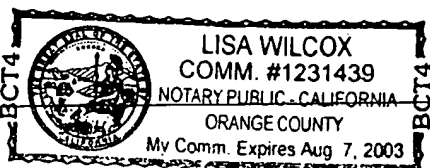
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